

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY LAGOS  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2747  
INFO AMCONSUL IBADAN  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OCON  
SUBJECT: WORLD CONFERENCE FOR ACTION AGAINST APARTHEID

REF: STATE 182465

1. EMBOFF CALLED ON P. B. KOROYE, SECRETARY OF NATIONAL  
PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR ANTI-APARTHEID CONFERENCE,  
AUGUST 5, TO REQUEST ACCOMMODATIONS FOR U.S. DELEGATION  
AND LEARN STATE OF PLANNING. PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION FOR  
MEETING ARE PROCEEDING AT SLOW PACE AND U.S. DELEGATION CAN  
EXPECT LOGISTIC CHAOS.

2. COMMITTEE WILL PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION AND ACCOMMODATIONS  
INSOFAR AS ITS RESOURCES WILL ALLOW; HOWEVER, COMMITTEE  
ANTICIPATES SHORTAGE OF BOTH. COMMITTEE DOES NOT HAVE  
ENOUGH ROOMS TO HOUSE ALL THE DELEGATES AND ROOMS WILL BE  
ALLOCATED IN ORDER OF ARRIVAL WITH AVAILABLE HOTEL SPACE  
ALLOCATED BY AUGUST 22 AT THE LATEST. FURTHER, COMMITTEE  
DOES NOT FEEL IT CAN ACCOMMODATE ALL MEMBERS OF LARGE DELEGATIONS,  
SUCH AS U.S., AT EXPENSE OF SMALLER DELEGATIONS.

3. COMMITTEE HAS NOT YET DECIDED HOW MANY DELEGATES AND  
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ADVISORS WILL BE ACCREDITED FOR EACH COUNTRY. AN EARLY  
HANDOUT SAID ONLY TWO DELEGATES WOULD BE ALLOWED; MR.  
KOROYE, HOWEVER, INDICATED LARGE AMERICAN DELEGATION WOULD  
PROBABLY BE ACCREDITED.

4. IN VIEW OF UNCERTAINTY SURROUNDING HOTEL AND TRANSPORTATION  
ARRANGEMENTS, EMBASSY WILL MAKE CONTINGENCY PLANS TO HOUSE

U.S. DELEGATION INSOFAR AS POSSIBLE WITHIN EMBASSY COMMUNITY.  
WE WILL CONTINUE TO SEEK COMMITMENT FOR DEFINITE ACCOMMODATIONS  
FROM NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

5. EMBASSY ANTICIPATES HAVING MAXIMUM OF FIVE CARS AND ONE  
SMALL 18-PASSENGER BUS AVAILABLE FOR DELEGATION USE. WE MAY BE  
ABLE TO RENT OTHER VEHICLES AS REQUIRED, BUT WILL BE UNABLE TO  
GUARANTEE AVAILABILITY.

6. EMBASSY CANNOT PROVIDE SECRETARIAL ASSISTANCE WITHOUT  
SEVERELY HAMPERING NORMAL OPERATIONS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE  
DEPARTMENT PROVIDING TWO SECRETARIES TDY TO ASSIST DURING  
CONFERENCE.

7. NIGERIAN MISSION TO UN IS PLAYING ACTIVE ROLE IN PLANNING  
AND WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION USUN MAY LEARN FROM  
ITS CONTACTS.

8. IN ORDER TO PLAN FOR DELEGATION WE NEED EXACT NUMBER AND  
NAMES ASAP  
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